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INTERROGATOR

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AMENDMENT

Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action dated January 21, 2003, having a shortened three month response period and for which three additional response months are petitioned herewith, please amend the above captioned application as indicated below.

An Amendment to the Title begins on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the Listing of Claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 9 of this paper.

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Amendment to the Title

Please amend the title to read -- IDENTIFICATION SYSTEM INTERROGATOR --.